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NICE COMPLIMENT TO BIBLE CLASS

Delightful Entertainment Given By Trimble's Loyal Women Thursday Evening

On Thursday evening, November 20th, between the hours of 7 and 9 the Hazelrigg Bible Class was given a reception and dinner at the Christian church, the hostesses being Trimble's Loyal Women and the Teachers of the Bible School.

The auditorium of the church, which was the reception room, flags, bunting and potted plants, flags, bunting and pottep plants. The class room of the Hazelrigg Bible Class was converted into a dining room. There were several large tables at which 56 people were served at a time. The tables were extremely artistic in their appointments, and dainty confections, red and white, carrying out the idea of Adult Class button, were found at each plate.

The menu was elaborate and everything served was delicious, as is characteristic of all functions over which those splendid and capable women preside.

More than two hundred people were served in the dining room, members of the two great classes and a few friends. The reception was very formal and everybody felt welcome and at home. A splendid spirit of fellowship prevailed and will doubtless result in a closer bond of friendship between the classes and an added interest in the work of the Master, in which they are both engaged.

MAJOR OTIS S. TENNEY TO CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY

Major Otis S. Tenney, formerly of this city, but who has been making his home in Lexington for several years, will celebrate his ninety-first birthday December, 4th. Major Tenney is well remembered here by a large number of our citizens who will be glad to learn that the Major is enjoying fine health and who will wish him continued health and prosperity.

ACCEPTS POSITION AT DUERSON'S DRUG STORE

Mr. Howell Hunt has accepted a position at Duerson's Drug store. Mr. Hunt succeeded Mr. Hunt Priest who has resigned.

He is a nice, clever and accommodating young man and will make Mr. Duerson a valuable employee.

HOFFMAN OFFERS PRIZES

Insurance Man Offers Prize to Children—Novel Advertising Scheme

Mr. H. G. Hoffman, General Agent of the State Mutual Life Assurance Company, has inaugurated a rather novel advertising scheme and one that will be beneficial to the contestants as well as Mr. Hoffman. He is offering three prizes of \$10.00, \$5.00 and \$2.50 for the best composition not to exceed 150 words. Subject, "Why I Wish My Father (or whoever you may be dependent upon for support) would 'Talk With Hoffman' and take some Life Insurance;" (or, if Father has already had a 'Talk With Hoffman' the subject can be changed to read "Why I am glad that Father had a 'Talk With Hoffman' and carries Life Insurance.")

In addition to the prizes given Mr. Hoffman will also give a prize of \$2.50 to the teacher whose pupil wins first prize.

The contest is open to every child in the city and county.

Prof. W. O. Hopper, Prof. M. J. Goodwin and Mr. E. W. Senff will act as judges.

Cranberries, celery, radishes, turnips, sweet potatoes, anything you need for the Thanksgiving dinner will be promptly delivered by the Sanitary Meat Market

MT. STERLING HORSE WINS TWO MORE BLUES

J. Malcolm Forbes last week won two more blue ties at Madison Square Garden Horse Show. This horse has been shown three times and won all three shows. His last show was the Grand Championship for Stallions. Mr. J. R. Magowan, his owner, has been offered the princely sum of \$40,000.00 for this horse by the Russian Government according to reports from New York.

STONE & FLORA HAVE RECEIVED NEW CARS

Messrs. Stone & Flora, local agents for the Buick automobile, have just received a carload of the latest models. They are trim, neat cars and are said to be one of the best cars on the market for the money.

Oyster Supper

At Moberly school house Saturday night. Benefit of school library. Everybody invited.

EDUCATORS SELECT OFFICERS

Ninth District Educational Association Close Meeting—Prof. Hopper Elected V.-Pres.

The Ninth District Educational Association closed its session at Maysville Saturday. There were over 500 teachers in attendance and about 4,000 visitors.

Congressman W. J. Fields addressed the association of Kentucky's great need, and his address was a splendid one and one that appealed greatly to his audience.

Supt. Barksdale Hamlett was also in attendance and was highly pleased with the meeting, saying it was the best educational gathering ever held in Kentucky.

Prof. R. I. Cord, Cynthiana, formerly of this city, was elected Secretary and Treasurer; Prof. W. O. Hopper was elected Vice President. The meeting will be held in this city next year. Miss Georgie Sledd, County Superintendent, attended the meeting.

NEW PAVEMENT FOR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A new stone pavement is being constructed in front of the Presbyterian Church. This is an improvement that has been needed for some time and will add much to the appearance of the church as well as to the convenience of the public.

Cheap Potatoes

Have 100 bushels of Michigan potatoes, will sell at \$1.00 per bushel. Extra good. Call at Payne & Greenwade's Barber Shop.

19-tf Charles Long

Have a few bushels of nicely picked sound Genian apples for sale at \$1.00 per bushel. Apply to Phone 622.

GOOD CROWD SEES MUTT AND JEFF

Mutt & Jeff was the attraction at the Tabby Friday evening and the house was crowded. Quite a number from Sharpsburg and Owingsville were present. The show was above the average and the crowd seemed to enjoy the antics of Mutt & Jeff very much. Quite a number of visitors are expected to be present.

Piano for Sale.

Armstrong Grand. In first class condition. Apply at Clay Miller's printing office.

20-21 Lyman Burgess.

TAKE YOUR TIME

We have called our readers attention a number of times to the fact that horses must be driven slowly especially when turning the corners since our streets have been bricked. Last Saturday the writer saw two horses slip and fall on the streets, fortunately neither the drivers or the horses were hurt to any great extent but in both cases the driver was going entirely too fast.

Take your time and give the poor horse a chance.

SELLS SIDE VIEW FARM

Mr. Bennett Hughes and mother, Mrs. John Hughes, have sold their farm of 133 acres, near Side View, this county, for \$14,000.00 to Mr. J. W. Royce, who will get possession March 1st. The handsome residence on this farm was destroyed by fire a few days ago but Mr. Royce will rebuild and move there to live.

The place to buy your celery, cranberries, lettuce and radishes is

Greenwade's

INSTITUTE HELD LAST WEEK

Mr. G. Egbert Coons put at Head of County Organization—Addresses Enjoyed

The Farmers' Institute was held in this city Friday and Saturday and the addresses were enjoyed by very small crowds. Among the speakers sent here by the Agricultural department were W. H. Clayton, H. T. Price, J. H. Hite, Mrs. Woolcott and Mrs. Ginn. A few ladies attended the meeting to hear the lecture on Domestic Science.

Mr. G. Egbert Coons was chosen president of the organization, Mr. Harry F. Howell, Secretary and Mr. J. T. Coons, delegate and Mrs. Hattie F. Howell, alternate to the State Farmers' Institute to be held at Frankfort.

ARE YOU WILLING TO HELP POOR FAMILY

We have had the following case reported to us with the request that we inform our readers about it in the hope that many would come forward and give assistance to this needy family.

There is a family living just outside the city limits composed of a widow and seven children that are absolutely destitute. The father died within the past few months and the mother has been stripping tobacco in the neighborhood and the oldest child, a girl about seventeen doing washing to keep the family in bread. The ladies of the City Mission have been rendering all the assistance their limited means will permit. If you have any clothing, shoes or will donate something to eat won't you call Miss McCoy, the deaconess, at phone 523.

Grapes, fruits and nuts guaranteed fresh at Vanarsdell's.

THANKSGIVING DANCE TO BE THURSDAY NIGHT

The Annual Thanksgiving Dance will be given at Trimble Hall Thursday evening. The Thomas Saxophone Trio, of Lexington, will furnish the music and the young people are looking forward to a most enjoyable time. Quite a number of visitors are expected to be present.

All kinds of green groceries at Greenwade's.

AMERICAN TEL. & TEL. CO. CUT IN COPPER LINE

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company have cut into the local exchange the copper circuit which will give Mt. Sterling direct connection with Cincinnati, Huntington and other cities. This will enable the local company to give first class service to these cities and will be of material benefit to our citizens.

MOVING DAY

Mr. James O'Connell and family have moved to the Bigerstaff property on High street. Mr. O'Connell lived in the first ward for 23 years. Judge H. Clay McKee and family are moving to their residence made vacant by Mr. O'Connell.

If you get that turkey, or other dressed fowl from us it will be the best the market affords.

The Sanitary Meat Market

Turkeys, chickens, hams and country sausage at Vanarsdell's.

Would pay the cash for a few stacks of clover or timothy hay and haul it.

Phone 622.

DAY CURRENT BY NEXT WEEK

Kentucky Utilities Co. Has Experts at Work Making Transfer.

Within the next few days Mt. Sterling will have twenty-four hour electric current as the Kentucky Utilities Company have about completed the work. Installation has been completed here but there are some minor things to be done at Winchester. The plan is to furnish the main power from Lexington but should any thing happen to that plant the plant at Winchester can be connected and in case of accident to that then the plant here will furnish the power so the possibilities of being without current at any time is very slight.

MRS. NESBITT'S BROTHER DIES IN MAYSVILLE

Mr. Sanford Ratliff Brooks, aged sixty-eight years, died Thursday night at 9 o'clock at his home in Maysville, after an illness covering a period of fourteen years.

Most of Mr. Brooks' life was spent in the hotel business, he having conducted hosteleries at Harrodsburg, Richmond, Lexington and in Maysville.

He was a member of John C. Breckenridge Camp Confederate Veterans, having joined the army when a mere lad. He was a member of General Forrest's cavalry.

Mr. Brooks was a genial, clever gentleman and his host of friends throughout the country will learn of his demise with sincere sorrow.

Besides his faithful, loving wife he leaves two brothers, Caleb R. Brooks, of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Leroy Brooks, of Cincinnati; also one sister, Mrs. Fannie Nesbitt, of Mt. Sterling.

Funeral from the residence at 11 a.m. Saturday. Interment in the Maysville cemetery. Funeral private.—Maysville Bulletin.

TAKES POULTRY TO ST. LOUIS SHOW

Mr. R. A. Chiles left Sunday with several of his fine chickens and ducks for St. Louis where he has made several entries in the poultry shows now being had in that city.

He has some of the best in the country and will win his share of the prizes.

WAREHOUSE OPENS MONDAY

First Sale Will Be Held Monday Morning at Farmers House on Locust Street

The first sale in the local tobacco market will be held at the warehouse of the Farmers Tobacco Company on Locust street beginning Monday morning. This house has been receiving tobacco for several days and now has a nice floor for the first offering. Several buyers have already arrived and we understand that several more will be here for the sales. Messrs. Kirkpatrick & Clay, S. R. Adamson, W. Caldwell Clay, A. R. and T. B. Robertson and other local men will represent some of the manufacturers.

Secretary Pinney has everything in readiness and quite a large crowd is expected. We have been informed that this house will alternate with the Burley house which is now receiving tobacco.

BENEFIT EUCHRE

The Ladies Club which has charge of the City Library will give a benefit euchre at the Masonic Hall Thursday, December, 4th. The proceeds to go toward defraying the expenses of the library.

Refreshments will be served and each player will be charged 50 cents. Tables for those who prefer five hundred will be furnished and it is hoped a large crowd will attend.

E. R. LITTLE BUYS ANOTHER FARM

Mr. E. R. Little, of this county, has purchased from Messrs. John and Carl Trimble their farm, lying on the Hinkston pike, and containing 114 acres of land and improvements, and will get possession March 1. The price paid was private, but is said to be about \$115 per acre. Mr. Little sold a frame cottage on Harrison avenue, in this city, to the Messrs. Trimble at a private price.

Celery, cranberries, lettuce, radishes, in fact, anything you need for your Thanksgiving dinner can be found at Vanarsdell's.

Ladies Exchange: The ladies of the Baptist Church will have an exchange at Sutton's Store today. Everything good to eat.

REDUCED PRICES

—ON—

Suits and Coats

Special inducements to all who purchase Suits or Coats between November 26 and December 6. Don't fail to investigate our offer

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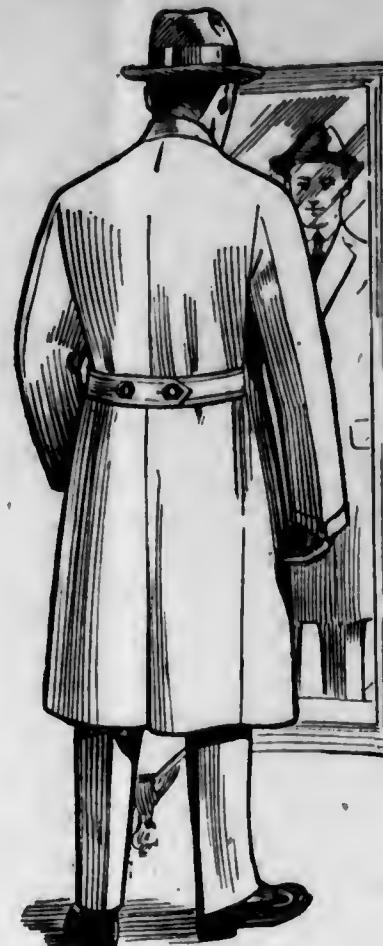
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Thanksgiving Offering

All of Our
\$18.00 and \$20.00
 Suits and
 Overcoats
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Shawl Collar Chinchillas in
 Blues and Greys



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WHY NOT NOW?

Enormous Salaries

are paid to men who have the knack of deciding important matters correctly and quickly.

YOU WILL MAKE NO MISTAKE IF YOU DECIDE NOW, TODAY, TO USE NATURAL GAS.

The constant appreciation of every member of your household will give you more satisfaction than an enormous salary.

YOU WILL, EVENTUALLY

WHY NOT NOW?

ECONOMICAL ROAD BUILDING

Department of Agriculture Cut-out of Grades—Even at Expense of Tillable Land.

The average life of horses and automobiles may be increased and the cost of hauling reduced, according to the Office of Roads, of the Department of Agriculture, by relocating many old roads and the more scientific laying out of new ones. The natural tendency in road building is to build a straight road, whether it goes over steep grades or hills, or not, and pulling over these grades naturally adds to the wear and tear of horses and vehicles.

The doctrine of the Office of Roads is that the longest way around may often be the shortest and most economical way home, and that frequently by building a highway around a hill or grade, but little appreciable distance is added and this is more than offset by the reduced strain of hauling.

The chief drawback from the farm owner's point of view is that the laying out of roads on this principle of avoiding grades necessitates, in many cases, running the road through good farm land or orchards or pastures, instead of going around the farm line and building the road through old worn-out fields and over rocky knolls. This, of course, must raise a question in the mind of the individual land owner as to whether the cutting up of his property by a road yields him individual advantages and so benefits his community as to offset the use of such land for a road, or to overcome the inconvenience of having his land divided.

In this connection the Office of Roads points out that the running of a road and the resulting traffic through a good farm, where there are good sheep, cattle, horses, grain, fruit, or vegetables, has a certain advertising value and in many instances makes the land more valuable.

In other cases, the importance of such a level road to the community is so great that it might well repay those using the road to give the farmer the equivalent in land equally good in place of what he has sacrificed to the common welfare.

At any rate the Office of Roads is now taking special pains to make clear the economic advantage of avoiding steep grades in their roads, even at some sacrifice of better land. Investigation shows that the laying of such roads over hills has resulted more from attention to the preservation of farm lines than from scientific attention to the problem of road building.

According to the testimony of farmers consulted, where a horse might be able to pull 4,000 pounds on a level road, it would have difficulty in pulling 3,000 pounds on a steep hill. The size of the load, therefore, tends to be measured by the grade of the largest hill on the road market. In a number of cases actual experiment shows that the relocating of roads around hills has been accomplished, either with no addition in road length in some instances, and with the adding of only a few feet to the highway in others. The Office knows of no case where a properly relocated road which has cut out grades has led to any question as to its material reduction of hauling costs.

Carriage For Sale.

Handsome carriage, two seats, can be changed to one seated; glass enclosed. Rubber tires, handsome trimmings, both pole and shafts. Has not been run a great deal and is in first-class condition. Also double harness. Will sell cheap. Apply at this office. 8tf

Boys suits and overcoats, biggest line in town to select from Punch, Graves & Co.

Pain builds her nest in the rosebush of pleasure.

THE GRAY LINE OF DIXIE
 Echoes of far battles still by hill and glen:
 The band is playing "Dixie" for all the marching men;
 Hear the thrilling music, ringing far and free,
 As when war bugles summoned the veterans of Lee.

The gray line of Dixie—they march not as of yore;
 The cannon's thunder silenced, the war-like gleam no more;
 And from life's sunset valleys, and from the battle-sod
 Their comrades beckon homeward to the glimmering heights of God.

Huyler's delicious candies can be had at **tf Geiger's Pharmacy, Sole Agent.**

Local Corporation Assessment

The corporation assessment recently filed with County Clerk Keller Greene included the following: C. & O. railroad, including K. & S. A. branch, \$221,160; Central Kentucky Natural Gas Co., \$70,728; Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Co., \$18,375; Kentucky Utilities Co., \$33,564.

Though scarce as diamonds, true friendship shines like a diamond and blazes on unconsumed through the years; while love's passion, common as fire, often burns like a fire and like that fire too soon leaves a mere heap of cinders and ashes.

Money can't buy the loyalty of a dog or the friendship of a baby.

JAMES E. MAGOWAN.

Real Estate, Loans and Collecting Agent, Notary Public, Contractor and Carpenter. Prompt attention given to any business entrusted to me. Phone 471, Mt. Sterling, Ky., No. 3 Wesley St. 10-6mo

The Atlantic Journal professes to believe that "when a woman is in love with a man she'll listen to what he says, just as if he were saying something," but there is a large and ever-increasing lot of us wise old birds who know as a matter of fact that she won't listen to anything anybody says until she is through talking herself.

Life is just One Dollar after Another.

Let Us "Do" It Up.

Your laundry, if done by the White Swan, will be first class. Phone 46.

15-tf Ringo & Botts, Agents.

Report of the condition of
The Exchange Bank,
 doing business at the town of Mt. Sterling, County of Montgomery, State of Kentucky, at the close of business on 14th day of Nov. 1913.

Resources.

Loans and Discounts.....	\$215,990 81
Overdrafts secured and unsecured.....	1,302 46
Stocks and other securities.....	6,916 07
Due from Banks.....	72,404 99
Cash on hand.....	18,514 33
Checks and other cash items.....	4 10
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	6,500 00
Total.....	\$323,518 76

Liabilities.

Capital Stock paid in, in cash	\$50,000 00
Surplus Fund.....	25,000 00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	6,581 88
Deposits subject to check.....	\$209,758 43
Deposits-Savings.....	28,557 25
Certified checks.....	53 50
Total.....	\$238,369 18
Due Banks and Trust Companies.....	2,540 55
Reserve for taxes.....	1,027 15
Total.....	\$323,518 76

State of Kentucky, County of Montgomery. | Sct We, H. R. Prewitt and Jno. S. Frazer, President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. R. PREWITT, President.
 JNO. S. FRAZER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of November, 1913.
 B. W. SENFF, Notary Public.
 My commission expires Jan. 9, 1916.

Thanksgiving Services.

Thanksgiving services will be held this year at the Christian Church at 10:30 o'clock next Thursday morning. Rev. T. W. Watts, of the Methodist Church, will deliver the Thanksgiving sermon.

Ex-President Taft, in an address before the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, criticised the policy of the Wilson Administration in the Phillipines.

Boys suits and overcoats, biggest line in town to select from Punch, Graves & Co.

HEISKELL'S OINTMENT

One application soothes and heals a rough pimpla skin, and when repeated quickly effects a cure. Eczema, Erysipelas, Tetters, Ulcers and all skin diseases yield to its curative properties. Send for free sample. "Health and Beauty." JOHNSTON, HOLLOWAY & CO., Phila., Pa.

a Grace for Today

BY WILBUR D. NESBIT

Show us the way to see the good
 That comes into our lives each day,
 The blessings dimly understood
 That gives us cheer along the way,
 Give us content with gold and gear—
 Though much or little we possess—
 Let us be glad for what is here
 On this, our day of thankfulness.

But broaden, too, the soul and mind
 So that our thanks will not be found
 By custom's rule and rote confined

Within this one day's narrow bound,
 Let us be glad for early rain
 That bids the flowers wake and creep,
 Let us be glad for snowy plain
 That holds them in their winter sleep.

Give us the heart to understand
 The graciousness of spreading trees,
 The changing seasons, wisely planned,
 The storm and sunshine—all of these,
 For all the brightness of the dawn,
 And cheerfulness of noon and night,
 And all that joy is builded on
 Give us the grace to see aright.

Let us remember each kind word
 By weight of godly feeling blest—
 Each gentle thing we've said or heard—
 And blot from memory the rest.
 Give us the grace to see and know
 The benefits along the way—
 The many things that help us so.
 Let us be thankful every day.

Be Prepared for Hog Killing Time

SEE US FOR

Meat Choppers
 Sausage Stuffers
 Lard Presses
 Butcher Knives

Save Time and Money by
 Being Properly Prepared

Chenault & Orear

One Westerner says that he is willing to "marry Mrs. Pankhurst tomorrow," but if he is such a glutton for a rough house as all that, he has the permission of the rest of us to close the deal before sundown today.

Transfer and Carriage.

I have carriage and transfer wagon to meet all trains. Phone 21 or 337. 37tf.

WILL BEAN.

Ready For Laundry.
 Phone 46, any time, and we will gladly come in our auto for your Laundry. Shipments and deliveries twice a week.
 15-tf Ringo & Botts.

To avoid criticism, my boy, say nothing, be nothing, do nothing.
 If ignorance is really bliss this sure should be one happy world.

Spend Your Money Where You Make It

By HOLLAND.

MONEY that is kept in the community helps every one in that community. It is a part of the common fund on which any one with anything to sell—merchandise, labor, farm products—can draw. Money that is sent away from home is withdrawn from this common fund. It helps to impoverish the entire community. Send all the money away and all the people in the community would be "broke."

The dollar that you spend with the local merchant will continue to circulate in the neighborhood, paying lawyer, doctor, blacksmith, carpenter, teacher. Ultimately it may return to you to be again started on its journey of purchase and payment. The dollar sent to the mail order house goes to swell the bank account of a concern in Chicago or New York. It is lost to your community forever. Your neighbor can't get it, and you will never see it again.

Can't you see that self interest tells you to do your buying at home? Can't you see that it is the part of wisdom to spend your dollar where you are likely to get it again?

The advertisements in this paper will aid you in deciding where to make your purchases. Only the more reliable merchants can afford to advertise continuously, and only the better grade of goods can stand such publicity.

PROFESSIONAL.

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LEAVE	For and From	ARRIVE
x 7:12 a. m.	Louisville	x 12:46 a. m.
x 3:47 p. m.	Louisville	x 9:46 a. m.
5:30 a. m.	Lexington	f 8:44 a. m.
2:08 p. m.	Lexington	f 7:15 a. m.
9:30 a. m.	Rothwell	f 1:55 p. m.
x 12:46 p. m.	New York { Wash'gton	x 7:12 a. m.
x 9:46 p. m.	Norfolk	x 3:47 p. m.
f 8:44 a. m.	Richmond	

Sleeping, Dining and Parlor Cars on Express Trains.
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Effective April 8th

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Southern Railway

Announces resumption of all train service which was discontinued account high water conditions

U. C. BEAM, A. G. P. A.
St. Louis, Mo.

FARMER'S WEEK AT THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

Every farmer in Kentucky should be interested in the approaching meeting of the Kentucky Corn Grower's Association, especially in view of the fact that it is associated, as regards time and place, with most of the other leading farmers' organizations of the State.

The advances made by Kentucky in the last few years in the production of a good quality of corn have been rather remarkable. It will be of interest to many Kentucky farmers to know that in the classes offered for the best ten ears of white dent corn at the National Corn Show last year, Kentucky stood first among the States.

The annual meeting of the Corn Growers' Association is to be held on Wednesday, January seventh, 1914, but the corn show will continue throughout the week of January fifth to tenth. The program for Corn Day will be made up of lectures and demonstrations bearing on soil fertility and other fundamental questions upon which the growing of corn, like any other crop depends.

Besides the corn show, which will include the cereals, there will be in progress during the week, educational exhibits and competitive shows in horticulture, dairy products and poultry, and a tobacco show. It will be seen from this synopsis that farmers whose larger interests represent these various lines of agriculture will be brought together for a general convention and for instruction by noted experts, and all has been crowded into the space of one week, that those especially interested in two or more farm specialties may without great loss of time attend both conventions, and others, if they so desire.

The other conventions are those of the Beef Cattle Breeders' Association, the Kentucky Sheep Cattle Club, the Kentucky Sheep Breeders' Association, the Kentucky Swine Breeders' Association, the Kentucky Horse Breeders' Association, the Poultrymen, the Bee Keepers' and the State Horticulture Society. In most cases at least one specialist will be brought from a distance to deliver the principal address at the meeting of each one of these associations.

The women's department has not been slighted, as special arrangements are being made for work in home economics which will be of great value to women who live in rural communities. They will also be very much interested in the poultry show, the dairy products exhibit and convention, and perhaps in the bee keepers' convention. A prospectus of this week of work is being prepared and will be mailed free upon application.

A very attractive premium list has been prepared for the corn show and for the other shows where competitive exhibits are to be made, which will be sent free upon request. Some may not consider it worth while to send such corn as they have which has necessarily been produced under very adverse conditions during the past season, but it must be borne in mind that all have suffered from the same cause and the chances will be equal. Those who cannot attend the show are entitled to send their corn by express with the privilege of having it placed in competition.

Farmers' week constitutes the opening of the Winter Short Course of Ten Weeks which is arranged for farmers who cannot spare the time and money to take a long course, but who want to gain some valuable and practical suggestions as regards better farming.

For further information address
T. R. Bryant, Superintendent,
Extension Division.
Experiment Station, Lexington,
Ky.

Farm For Sale.

200 acres of well improved land situated on Plumb Lick Pike in Montgomery county, Ky., good 6 room frame dwelling, 9 bent tobacco barn, stock barn and all necessary out buildings. For further particulars apply to R. G. Kern, attorney, Mt. Sterling, Ky., or the undersigned.

Letcher Bannister,
R. R. 1 North Middletown, Ky.
20-31

Corduroy suits
Punch, Graves & Co.

The recent poisoning of fifty guests at a wedding party in France was due to a bacillus heretofore unknown to science, which a bacteriologist announces he has succeeded in isolating.

For Rent.

Nice large room, furnished or unfurnished with dressing room attached on first floor. Also stable with three stalls, buggy room and large hay loft. Apply or write to

Mrs. NANNIE K. HIBLER,
17tf Winchester, Ky.

The Pullman Company is criticized for alleged underpay of its employees, which is said to be responsible for the "tipping" system in a declaration by President Eshleman, of the California Railroad Commission.

"Battleship," a genuine Mocha and Java coffee, 40c per 1 pound can at Varns dell's.

At a meeting of Progressive leaders held lately it was decided to make no contest against the Democrats in Louisville. It was found impossible to raise enough money to begin the action.

Some people wouldn't rise to the occasion if Opportunity knocked till it beat the door down.

Hog Killing Time.

Get your scalding tub from McCormick Lumber Co. 17 3t

100 Turkeys for Sale

Pure bred Mammoth Bronze, the largest of all turkeys. Toms, \$3.50, hens, \$2.50. Come early and get choice of a large flock.

Mrs. Jas. E. Cravens
Phone 559-A 19-3t

For Sale Privately.

The Mrs. Mary A. McClure residence and vacant lot adjoining, situated on W. High street in Mt. Sterling, Ky. Both lots have a frontage of 150 feet and a depth of some 300 feet. Will sell as a whole or separately to suit purchaser. The residence is new, equipped with all modern conveniences and is a most desirable home. Apply to Robt. H. Winn or the undersigned.

46-tf. Pierce Winn, Trustee.

Longest Railroad Run.

I see in your columns that a claim is made by a Baltimore and Ohio special train to a world's record for longest non-stop run, the figures being 190 miles in three hours and 55 minutes, or 48.7 miles per hour, writes a correspondent of the New York Times. This is nowhere near the daily performance of the 10:30 a. m. train on the Great Western railway of England—London to Plymouth, 225 miles in four hours and seven minutes, without stop, or 54.6 miles per hour. The last 30 miles are over a very hilly road. Some years ago the mileage from London to Plymouth (Great Western railway) was longer by 21 miles, and these 246 miles were covered without stop every weekday at about the same speed as the present run.

Sleeping Cow Caused Wreck.

A sleeping cow caused the derangement of a passenger train on the line between Newport and Cowes, England, a few days ago. On rounding a curve the driver of the train saw the cow lying between the rails. Before he could pull up the first part of the train had passed over the cow. Then came a large bogey carriage with less space between it and the rails. It rocked from side to side, then ran off the line and ploughed up the permanent way for two or three hundred yards before the train came to a standstill.

Where Delay is Fatal.

It is said that on a western railroad where the roadbed is faulty the dining car waiter always hands you a card when he brings the finger bowls. Here is the message it bears:

"This is a finger bowl—not a beverage. Use quick!"

If the guest doesn't "use quick" the contents of the bowl goes out of the opposite window when the train strikes the next curve.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

COST OF RAILROAD ACCIDENTS

Run of Bad Luck Adds Enormously to the Amount Required to Maintain a Line.

This week's new low record for New Haven shares following the wreck of Tuesday has raised an interesting point as to how railroads are affected financially by such accidents.

New York Central's Park avenue wreck occurred on January 8, 1902. That year the company settled claims for property and personal injuries aggregating \$882,000, compared with \$768,000 the year before. By the end of 1903 those settlements, however, reached \$1,032,000, and the figures gradually increased, until \$2,466,000 was paid out in 1907. After that there was a gradual decline, indicating that most of the claims were settled in one way or another within five years.

Pennsylvania has a good record, despite its occasional wrecks. Last year was an average year, with \$666,000 charged off for damage to freight, \$19,031 for damage to baggage, \$60,654 for loss of other property, and \$173,500 for injuries to persons. For a 4,000-mile system that is an enviable record. For the same period New York Central's expenditures, including low costs, were \$2,068,000.

New Haven, with only half of Pennsylvania's mileage, charged off \$1,129,000 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1912, including \$346,000 for damage to freight, \$574,000 for injuries to persons. The forthcoming annual report for 1913 doubtless will show a heavy increase in those items, as the company has had 11 wrecks during the last year, in which 45 persons were killed and 187 injured.

Loss of prestige is the most intangible of any suffered by a railroad as a result of accidents.—New York Evening Post.

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Mrs. Jay McGee, of Stephenville, Texas, writes: "For nine (9) years, I suffered with womanly trouble. I had terrible headaches, and pain in my back, etc. It seemed as if I would die, I suffered so. At last, I decided to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, and it helped me right away. The full treatment not only helped me, but it cured me."

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Last Friday and Saturday a Farmers' Institute was held in our county. Trained specialists, selected by the state authorities, were in attendance, at public expense, to lecture on various phases of scientific agriculture and the like. At a number of different times, we took occasion to visit the court house, where the Institute was being held and were impressed with the almost unanimous indifference shown by our farmers. At no time did we see more than two dozen persons present and probably half of those were not farmers. Now these speakers are selected with a view of competency and there is not a farmer in this or any other county, who could not have been taught something worth while, had he seen fit to listen. We are told the same conditions exist all over the state and it seems to us that unless the farmers attend these meets and thus profit by them,

that this enormous expense ought to cease.

WAGON TIRES

Sometime ago, we had several editorials relative to the use of broad tires on heavily loaded wagons. The law is now silent on the subject and on a narrow tire one can haul all one can find teams to pull. A broad tire has a roller effect and does not injure the highway, while a heavily loaded wagon, with narrow tires, does irreparable injury. Many states designate, by statute, the relative weight that can be hauled on the several width tires.

The Lexington Herald has frequently discussed the subject, in a very convincing manner and as it is worthy of the serious thought of the General Assembly, soon to convene, we hope the press of the state will give the matter the publicity its importance demands.

We welcome the time when the White House wedding and the Mexican situation surrender the first page.

Will Dr. Buschmeyer make good as Mayor of Louisville? Well, ish ga bibble!

BUYS TRACT OF LAND ON W. WINN STREET

Mr. J. W. Langston purchased through W. Hoffman Wood, the real estate man, the five acre tract of land owned by Mr. George Owings, situated on W. Winn street. The price, while private, is said to have been a good one.

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GOOD WOMAN

PASSES AWAY

After a long life of faithful devotion to all that was right, Mrs. Mary E. Duncan passed peacefully to eternal rest at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at her home in Camargo. Death resulted from a fall received three years ago, since which time she has been an invalid. Her maiden name was Miss Mary Emerine Smith. In 1891 she was married to Wm. A. Duncan, who survives her. She was born and reared in Montgomery county, having lived her entire life at Camargo. Mrs. Duncan was a woman of Christian character. When quite young she was united with the Methodist church and her Christian life and influence have made a lasting impression upon the community in which she lived. While death was not unexpected, the passing away of this beautiful life has cast a gloom over the entire community. Funeral services were held at the Camargo M. E. Church Monday morning by Rev. Caton, burial in Cockrell cemetery.

Xmas opening Wednesday, Dec. 3rd. The Novelty Store. Don't fail to see our beautiful line of Christmas goods on Dec. 3rd. The Novelty Store.

LIEUTENANT KELLY KILLED IN CALIFORNIA

Lieutenant H. M. Kelly was killed by a bi-plane in which he was receiving instructions at San Diego, Cal., Sunday. Lieut. E. L. Ellington was killed at the same time. From the reports the men lost control of the machine which fell about 80 feet killing both instantly. Lieut. Kelly was stationed at Lexington at State University as Commandant for two years and many former pupils of that institution from this section will learn of his death with sincere regret. He was a fine officer and a high class gentleman.

FIRE DESTROYS COUNTRY RESIDENCE

The residence of Mr. Ed. Rye, near Sewell's Shop on the Winchester pike, was destroyed by fire Saturday night.

Mr. Rye was painfully burned in attempting to save some valuables. Loss partially covered by insurance.

While the origin of the fire is unknown it is supposed to have started from a defective flue. ..

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Mr. Anderson C. Bogie has purchased the handsome brick residence of Mr. Albert Stofer on North Maysville street. The price paid was private but it is said to be in the neighborhood of \$7,000. This is one of the nicest homes in the city.

Talcum Powder
This week Colgate Powder 12c can. Try the 2 new flavors, La France Rose and The Eclat.

The Fair.
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Turkeys? Well I guess yes, the best can be found at Vanarsdell's

S. THOMAS GIVES APPEARANCE BOND

Sheridan Thomas, of Morgan county, was arrested at Morehead Sunday afternoon by Deputy Marshall Sherman Lewis and brought before Commissioner Wood, in this city, charged with retailing liquor without having paid the special tax, and was placed in jail. He gave bond with surety for his appearance on Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock for trial.

Wednesday, Dec. 3rd our Holiday line will be ready for your inspection. The Novelty Store

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some days, was able to return to school Monday.

The regular bi-monthly awarding of the Hoffman Medal was made in Chapel Monday morning in a very close contest between Carl Frode and Pudgie Samuels. Mr. Frode was the winner. This making the second in succession he has defeated all rivals.

Miss Mattie Hoffman and Miss Bessie Robinson leave Thursday to spend the holidays with "friends" at Versailles.

As was announced in this column last week, Prof. Hopper has had another "Talk With Hoffman." In Chapel Monday morning he announced that Mr. H. G. Hoffman had offered three prizes; one of ten dollars; one of five dollars and the third of two dollars and fifty cents, to be given to the pupil writing the best one-hundred and fifty word composition on the following subject: "Why I Wish Father Would Talk With Hoffman."

All pupils attending school in Maysville where they attended the third annual meeting of the Ninth Congressional Educational Association. All report that the meeting was a very successful one. Next year the meeting will be held in our city and it is up to the citizens of the community to make it a good one. Prof. Hopper was elected Vice-President of the Association and Prof. R. I. Cord, Supt. of Cynthiana High School, who resides in this city, was elected Secretary and Treasurer.

Enroute home from Maysville Prof. Jetton stopped at Flemingsburg "on business." We know it is none of our business why he stopped but some times there is such a thing as a fellow combining business and pleasure. Anyhow, we wonder what the attraction was?

After enjoying a much-needed holiday Friday, the pupils of the High School resumed their duties Monday morning. As usual we expect to fall victims of many severe rules, which have been gathered here and there on the trip. We predict that before another week has passed, several new rules will be introduced into the school.

Any man who figures he will finally succeed in beating another man's game, has too much perseverance.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. J. H. Conner spent Sunday in Owingsville.

Mrs. Allie Richards visited friends in Winchester the past week.

Mrs. F. W. Bassett spent Saturday in Owingsville with friends.

Mr. James French, of Lexington, was a visitor to this city Sunday.

Mr. Ratliff Lane spent Friday and Saturday with relatives in Bath county.

Mrs. M. O. Cockrell and son Bright, are visiting relatives at Van Dorn, Ala.

Mr. C. T. Coleman, of Frankfort, spent Sunday with his parents in this city.

Mr. John W. Boardman and wife visited relatives in Winchester the past week.

Mrs. Annie Cockrell is visiting Mrs. Mary Nunnelley at Winchester this week.

Mrs. Ramey Macey, of Lexington, is the guest of Mrs. R. P. Thomas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Withrow Eastin left Sunday for Eustis, Fla., for the winter.

Mr. Harry S. Bittenger and wife are visiting relatives and friends in Ohio this week.

Miss Nelle Miller, of Morehead, spent Sunday with Miss Minnie Heilman in this city.

Mrs. Gratton Woodson, of Middlesboro, is the guest of her father, Mr. George Blevins.

Miss Hazel Messer and Miss Mayme Porter were in Winchester Sunday the guests of relatives.

Mrs. S. M. Whitehead and son left last week to join Mr. Whitehead who is located at Birmingham, Ala.

Judge Ben R. Turner and family are visiting the family of Judge C. C. Turner at Frankfort this week.

Mrs. J. W. Hedden returned home Monday after a two weeks visit to her daughter, Mrs. T. B. Arthur, in Lexington.

Mrs. Allen Prewitt, Sr., is the guest this week of her daughters, Mrs. J. L. McCord and Mrs. C. T. Evans, at Winchester.

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I. F. TABB

Mrs. Minot Davis visited in Lexington the first of the week. Mr. John W. Trimble was in Winchester the first of the week. Mr. Sam Chenault was in Lexington on business Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Carolyn Bourne is visiting her uncle, Col. Henry L. Stone, in Louisville.

Miss Mary McClure Fogg will leave Friday for a short visit to friends in Danville.

Miss Annie Caswell Prewitt is spending several days in Lexington with Miss Kate Headley.

Miss Mary Lisle Duty, of Winchester, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Duty.

Mrs. Buford Wyatt, of Decatur, Ala., will arrive here this week to be the guest of relatives.

Miss Willie Maye Nelson, of Winchester, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Anderson Sunday.

Judge Denis Dundon, of Paris, Ky., is in the city engaged as counsel in the W. T. Fitzpatrick inquiry.

Mr. Clarence Stephens returned to Lexington Tuesday after a visit of ten days with his parents in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wilson are in Lexington, the guests of Mrs. Wilson's parents for Thanksgiving.

Mr. A. R. Robertson was in Lexington the first of the week.

Mr. Howell Reese spent Tuesday in Lexington.

Mrs. Thomas Scott and daughter and Mrs. James Derrickson visited relatives and friends in Paris for a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Arthur and little daughter, Elizabeth, of Lexington, will arrive today to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. J. W. Hedden and family.

Mrs. Ira P. Clark, of Columbus, Ga., arrived here Saturday for an extended visit to relatives. Before marriage Mrs. Clark was Miss Gay Thompson.

Misses Leila Owings, Elizabeth McCoun, Jean Kendall and Cora Little spent Saturday in Winchester. They motored over in Miss Little's new car.

Dr. J. A. Shirley left Monday afternoon for Frankfort, Ind., in obedience to a message apprising him of the fact that his little grand-son, Lawrence Shropshire had diphtheria.

Mr. Richard Apperson, of Lexington, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Apperson, in this city. Mr. Apperson holds a responsible position with the Kentucky Actuarial Bureau.

Men's Shirts

This week regular 50c Blue Amoskeag Chambray shirts, all sizes for 28c each—only 2 to a person.

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SOCIAL EVENTS.

A New Beginning.

"Every day is a new beginning,
Every morn is the world made new;
You who are weary of sorrow and sinning,
Here's a beautiful hope for you—
A hope for me and for you."

"Yesterday now is a part of forever,
Bound up in a sheaf, which God holds tight,
With glad days and sad days and bad days, which never
Shall visit us more with their bloom
and their blight,
Their fullness of sunshine or sorrowful night."

"Every day is a fresh beginning,
Listen my soul, to the glad refrain,
And spite of old sorrow and older sinning,
And puzzle fasted and possible pain;
Take heart with the day, and begin again!"

—Exchange.

Mr. W. A. Sutton was host at a birthday dinner Sunday given at his handsome home on North Sycamore street. A delightful dinner was served and the guests spent a most delightful afternoon.

Mr. W. H. Berry entertained a number of his friends with a bird dinner Sunday at his home on Holt avenue. The guests enjoyed Mr. Berry's hospitality very much and wish him many more successful hunting trips.

Mrs. W. H. Strossman entertained charmingly Wednesday afternoon at her home on North Maysville street in honor of Miss Clara Peck Brown, the attractive guest of Miss Hazel Grubbs. Five hundred was enjoyed after which a delicious course lunch was served.

BIRTHS.

Councilman James McDonald is receiving congratulations upon the arrival at his home last week of a fine son. The little gentleman has been named Daniel Welsch. Mrs. McDonald, before her marriage was Miss Edna F. Welsch.

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NUNNELLY-SMITH

The marriage of Miss Eliza Collins Nunnelley, of Louisville, to Mr. Isaac Christian Smith, of New Castle, was quietly solemnized last Thursday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Nunnelley, on St. Catherine street, the Rev. W. B. Everson officiating. The reception rooms were decorated in chrysanthemums, ferns and palms. There were no attendants.

The bride wore a blue brocaded crepe de chine, trimmed in mustard colored velvet, lace and fur. She carried yellow chrysanthemums.

After the reception which followed the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Smith left for Chicago to spend two weeks before going to New Castle to make their home.—Louisville Times.

Miss Nunnelley formerly lived here where she had many friends and is well remembered as a sweet and attractive girl. She is a sister of Mr. Brent G. Nunnelley, of this city.

MISS JANE JOPLIN BECOMES BRIDE

The wedding of Miss Jane Joplin, of Louisville, and Mr. Asbury Wright Lee, of Clearfield, Pa., took place last Friday evening at the home of the bride's father, the Rev. George Adams Joplin, on Highland avenue, Louisville. The bride's father was the officiating clergyman and only the members of the two families and a few close friends were present at the ceremony.

The house was decorated in palms, ferns and bay trees, combined with pink flowers. Silver candlesticks held pink tapers, while the electric lights were hooded in pink.

The ceremony took place in the living room, where an altar of green was erected.

Miss Lillian Lee, of Clearfield, Pa., was the maid of honor and Mr. William Wrigley, of Clearfield, Pa., was the best man.

Miss Charlotte Letcher, of Shelbyville, a cousin of the bride, was the ringbearer and the four ribbon girls were Augusta Rogers, of Lexington; Lavina Reynolds, of Paris; Elizabeth Petty, of Louisville and Ruth Wyatt, of Mt. Sterling.

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Our strongest member is Sampson.

Our smallest member is Little.
Our happiest member is Gay.

Our most melancholy member is Graves.

Our most sought after member is Kash.

Our foreign members are French.

Our Church officers are a Bishop and Deacons.

The children are not afraid of our Bogie men.

Paul wrote an epistle to one of our members—Titus.

One of our members would remind you of London—Fogg.

For fuel we have Cole, Coke, and three kinds of wood—just Wood, Gatewood and Caywood. If we desire to ship our Cole by water, we have our Collier.

Our Chandler supplies us with light.

Our pantry is supplied with Coffey, Rice, Berry and Old-ham. We have as poultry, a Cockrell and a Drake.

Our Colors are Greene and White.

Our musical instrument is the Harp.

For fishing bait we use Grubbs. We have two kinds of vehicles—Sledd and Hazel-rigg.

We have Barnes for our stock. We have books for keeping Tab.

At this season we take our Setters and have a Hunt.

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When we cross a river we

either use our bridges or Wade.

Our Coons will not bite.

We have several distinguished foreign characters, namely: Stewart, Alexander the Great, Admiral Nelson, Lord Roberts.

We have also some noted Americans—Scott, Arnold, Hamilton, Clay, General Jackson and Commodore Perry.

Our acrobats are Turners.

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PARCEL POST EARNINGS

When the parcel post was established January 1, last, it was estimated that the profits of the first year's operation would be about \$10,000,000. This estimate was too low, by half, according to a Washington dispatch to the New York Times. Actual figures now in possession of Government officials convince them that the profits will not be less than \$30,000,000.

The total income from the parcel post will be around \$30,000,000. This is a remarkable exhibit for the first year's business, and it demonstrates the great popularity and possibilities of the system. In the accounting of the profits for the year, however, it must be taken into consideration that the railroads have received no additional remuneration for carrying the mails, despite the great increase of matter due to the parcel post and despite the fact that some of them have been contending for extra pay for the extra work that they have been compelled to do.

It is expected that there will be a complete readjustment next year of the whole question of railway mail pay. A new bill for that purpose is being prepared, and it will take into consideration the increase of matter and probably will be so drawn as to be fairable to the railroads and to the Government. There is, of course, in the contention that the roads should have more pay, and if they had been paid this year for their extra work the parcel post profits would have been several millions smaller.

It seems probable that the development of the parcel post will, in a few years, put the express business as now conducted, out of commission. The Post office Department is operated for service rather than for profit, and there will be, doubtless, a public demand for parcel post expansion that cannot be resisted. There is no need that the parcel post should make \$30,000,000 a year, though it is well that it should be conducted at a profit, and when it is generally understood that the first year's business has been so successful there will be a clamor for lower rates and larger packages.

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November Crop Report.

The November crop report, the final report of the year, was issued Saturday by Commissioner of Agriculture J. W. Newman. The next report will be issued in May, 1914.

The report shows the final yields of cereals, the pasture conditions at the beginning of winter and the outlook for winter stock and winter wheat. The report follows:

"The crop report as of November 1 was intentionally delayed a few days for the purpose of giving the farmers an opportunity of ascertaining the final yield of the corn crop and to get a better idea as to the final yield of tobacco. This is the last report that the department will publish in 1913. The next report will be as of May 1 next year."

"The long drought in Kentucky has been broken. There has been sufficient rainfall to start the fall-sown grains off in splendid condition, and stock water in most places is now plentiful. Fall grass is starting to grow, but it is too late in the season for any great amount of pasture to be secured. The cold weather and short supply of grass have caused the farmers to begin feeding stock from a month to six weeks earlier than usual. Quite a good deal of fall plowing has been done.

"The final yield of corn in Kentucky for 1913 as reported is 20.5 bushels an acre. The Government estimate for 1912 was 30.4 bushels. The final yield of Burley tobacco is reported as 655 pounds an acre. As there was an acreage of approximately 175,000, this would indicate that the Burley crop of Kentucky would be 115,000,000 pounds. The final yield of dark tobacco is 503 pounds an acre, and with an acreage of approximately 150,000, makes the total yield of dark tobacco about 75,000,000. The drought has cut corn about one-third. Burley tobacco about one-third and dark tobacco about one-half."

"The per cent. of wheat sown is given as 91.5, and the condition of the wheat is 91.8. This indicates rather a large crop of wheat for next year. A large acreage of rye, given as 96.5, has been sown and the condition is given as 93.8. Alfalfa, clover, orchard grass and bluegrass all show up in fairly good condition. The rains have revived many of the grasses that looked as if they would not be of any more value.

"Hog cholera has abated in certain sections of the state, but is raging in the mountain sections and in Western Kentucky. Many of the hogs that are usually fattened upon the mast of the timber regions are this year dying from cholera. Catarhal fever, or black tongue has broken out among horses in but one place in the state, and that is in Southeastern Kentucky.

"A great deal of the corn that has been produced is unsound. The supply of roughness is short and with practically no winter pasture, and with feeding beginning so early, a large death rate may be expected among the live stock of the state this winter. Warm, sanitary quarters are always a good thing for livestock, but are absolutely necessary where the supply of feed is not up to the standard. Farmers can save the lives of a great many animals by preparing comfortable quarters for them now."

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Be sure and pay your taxes on or before December 1, 1913, as the 10 per cent. will be added on the above date.

I have no alternative in the matter. See the ordinance passed by the City Council.

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BUYS NICE GELDING

Henry S. Caywood, of North Middletown has purchased from Lucien B. Greene, of this county, a handsome chestnut gelding at a private price. The gelding was sired by Golden King, dam by Bourbon Chief, and is a full brother to the sensational Golden Girl, of several seasons ago. The gelding is an excellent prospect, and will be broken and trained for the gaited classes next season. The gelding has plenty of finish, much dash and brilliancy and is destined to be one of the best horses out next season.

Convenient Arrangement

By a deal consummated a few days ago local patrons of the Cumberland Telephone Co. are enabled to phone telegrams to the Western Union office in this city and have the message fee charged to their telephone account. The arrangement will be of especial convenience to rural telephone subscribers and is in keeping with the Cumberland's efforts to give their patrons the best service obtainable.

BUYS BURTON HOME.

W. P. Titus has purchased of Rhodes Burton, of Carlisle, the old Burton home on East High street, now occupied by Millard Wade, for a price said to be around \$4,000. Possession given at once. The residence is a nice two-story frame structure, containing all modern conveniences.

Reward

A reward of \$25 is hereby offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person for the breaking of insulators on our high tension electric line from Lexington to Mt. Sterling, Ky., or for any other wilful damage done to our property.

We have knowledge of parties who have broken our insulators and hereby notify them that if their act is repeated, they will be prosecuted.

Kentucky Utilities Company
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Sells Cottage.

W. H. Wood, real estate agent, sold last week for Mrs. Wood Owens, of Maysville, her frame cottage on Holt avenue, in this city, at a private figure to Lee Trimble. Possession to be given March 1, when Mr. Trimble will move there to reside.

That the time is not ripe for the formation of a labor party, but that trade unionists should look forward to increasing political activity, was affirmed as the position of the American Federation of Labor at its convention in Seattle, Washington.

Rheumatism Sciatica Neuralgia

Shipp's Quick Relief Liniment is a reliable, harmless preparation that when simply rubbed on the flesh quickly relieves all aches in any part of the body, no matter how severe or deep seated they may be. Rheumatism, Sciatica, Neuralgia, Toothache, Headache, Sore Muscles, Stiff Joints, Sprains and other aches quickly yield to the soothing influence of this marvelous pain alleviator. **50 Cents** or Druggists, or by mail, postpaid.

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TUBERCULOSIS SUNDAY PROCLAMATION ISSUED

Acting Governor McDermott has issued a proclamation designating Sunday, December 7, as tuberculosis Sunday. He says:

"To the people of Kentucky: By request of intelligent people deeply interested in the immediate reduction and final eradication of tuberculosis in this state, I now designate Sunday, December 7, as tuberculosis Sunday, in order that our people on that day may give special and earnest thought to this dreadful disease which we have too long allowed to bring misery and death into many homes. Any one who wishes full information and useful literature about the holy crusade against this disease need only apply to the secretary of the Kentucky Board of Tuberculosis Commissioners, Mr. Roy L. French, of Frankfort, Ky. It is hoped that many good clergymen of all churches will preach a sermon on this vital topic on that day."

"All well informed persons now know that this disease is not inherited, though one afflicted may communicate the disease to another; that this is a curable and preventable disease if treated rightly and in proper time; that, in every case, reputable physicians should be consulted when the first symptoms are discovered; that bad housing, lack of good ventilation and sunlight in sleeping rooms, lack of nourishing, well cooked food, dust and dirt, over work, worry, alcoholism, sexual immorality and other vicious habits prepare the soil for the seed of disease which one sufferer transmits to another."

"Tuberculosis destroys one person out of every six dying in Kentucky. We should use every effort to stop that terrible result. The education of the people on this subject is of vital importance. We must try to save ourselves, our kindred and our neighbors from this terrible affliction. Almost every home has at some time been in sorrow and gloom by the agony and death of some beloved one that was an unnecessary victim of this dreadful disease. Let us all, by the love we bear our beloved and in the spirit of charity to our neighbor, make a zealous, united effort to free our state from this awful scourge."

EDWARD J. McDERMOTT
"By the Acting Governor.
C. F. CRECELIUS
Secretary of State."

Sanitary Barber Shop.

You are invited to our new barber shop on Bank street. Everything is new and clean and your patronage will be appreciated. Shave 10 cents—Sunday, 15 cents.

20-8t Payne & Greenwade.

The Young Women's Missionary Society of the Christian Church, will have a Christmas bazaar Saturday, December 13th. Lunch will be served.

FOR DELICATE CHILDREN

A Mother's Letter to Mothers. Mrs. E. W. Cooper of Bloomfield, N. J., says: "My child, seven years old, had a bad cold and was weak and quite run down in health. She had been in this condition for about six weeks when I began giving her Vinol. It was a wonderful help to the child, breaking up her cold quickly and building up her strength beside. I have also found Vinol a most excellent tonic for keeping up the children's strength during a siege of whooping cough."

Vinol is a wonderful combination of two world-famed tonics—the medicinal body building elements of cod liver oil and iron for the blood, therefore it is a perfectly safe medicine for children, because it is not a patent medicine, everything in it is printed on every package, so mothers may know what they are giving their little ones."

Therefore we ask every mother of a weak, sickly or ailing child in this vicinity to try Vinol on our guarantee. P. S. Our Sapo Salvo is truly wonderful for Eczema. We guarantee it.

W. S. Lloyd, Druggist, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

DANGER IN DELAY

Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous For Mt. Sterling People To Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they so often get a firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Backache, headache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, gravel and Bright's disease may follow as the kidneys get worse. Don't neglect your kidneys. Help the kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills, which are so strongly recommended right here in Mt. Sterling.

S. T. Greene, 62 Holt avenue, Mt. Sterling, Ky., says: "I had a great deal of trouble from my kidneys. The kidney action was too frequent, especially at night, but the flow of the secretions was scanty. The secretions also contained sediment. My back ached and I had pains through my sides. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I got a supply at Duerson's Drug Store and used them. They brought the best results."

Fore sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's, and take no other. 46-2t

SALLS FANCY GELDING

Dr. J. F. Lockhart, this city, has sold to Thomas I. Davis, of Winchester, a handsome bay gelding for a price, said to be \$300. This gelding was turned over to McCray & Caywood, of Bourbon county, who will gait him and show him down the line next season. This gelding was sired by McDonald Chief, and has more fire and vim than any green horse we have seen in many days. He is an excellent show prospect and we believe, in the hands of Robert McCray, will make some of the boys set up and take notice next season.

TO QUIT STATE

Chairman Ruby Laffoon, of the State Insurance Rating Board has received notification from the Kentucky Actuarial Bureau that thirty-six of the 113 foreign fire insurance companies doing business in Kentucky will not insure any dwelling house risks under the schedule of rates adopted by the board. This section was in line with a policy suggested at a meeting of representatives of the companies in New York several days ago. While there is no data at hand to show, Commissioner N. O. Grady said he would not be surprised if the withdrawal of these companies closed every agency in some towns to this class of risks. "If the companies refuse to write business I look for a number of mutual assessment concerns to be organized all over the state," he added.

Chairman Laffoon said the board was rather anxious for the companies to go into court over the rate; but they declined to do this and are indicating a concerted plan of ceasing to write any business at all under schedules adopted by the State Board reducing rates.

The new schedule on dwellings was a compromise after the companies instituted suits to enjoin the first schedule promulgated, reached the board that rates on individual risks instead of being reduced were raised. Investigations showed that exposure charges never before made were being added to the basic rate by the companies. Then the board issued another order, specifying for exactly what exposure charges could be made, and requiring the company to file reports showing exactly how the rate was made up on every one that was charged. So far the companies have not complied with this order.

There are people who take the Morning with them to light the shadowy valleys of the Night.

ROYAL PALM.

The Most Superb Train connecting the North and South was Put Into Operation Monday Morning, November 3.

The most superb train in the United States connecting the North and the South made its first trip over the Queen & Crescent Route Monday morning. It is known as the "Royal Palm" and for luxuriance, modern conveniences and equipment of the most approved type the new train is the ideal of perfection. The "Royal Palm" is provided with one of the new steel dining cars which surpasses anything of the kind known heretofore in modern railway circles. A Pullman Compartment Observation car affords the privacy and seclusion of the boudoir, aside from furnishing the restful and luxurious facilities of an observation parlor and platform from which to enjoy the passing scenery. In addition to Standard Pullman Drawing-Room Sleeping cars of the most recent design and appointment, the equipment of the "Royal Palm" will include Reclining Chair Cars, with smoking rooms, giving the opportunity of accomplishing your journey in relaxation and ease, without any additional charge.

The "Royal Palm" will operate between Chicago, Illinois, and Jacksonville, Florida. Departure will be made from Cincinnati each morning at 7 o'clock on the southbound trip and on the northbound trip will reach Cincinnati each night at 9:25 o'clock. The "Royal Palm" will run as a solid train between Chicago, Indianapolis and Jacksonville, and will provide the most modern conveniences for the thousands of people who will visit the southland this winter.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one great disease of science has been \$50 to cure in all its stages, and that is birth. Hall's Calomel Cure is the only specific known to the medical fraternity. Calomel is a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Calomel Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood vessels and surfaces of the skin, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by lifting up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, they offer \$100.00 for \$100 Dollars in any case that it fails to cure. Send for Hall's Family Pills for constipation. Address F. J. CHENey & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, etc.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The practice of throwing rice at bridal couples is on the decline, the lunatics who indulge in the senseless custom having learned that under the present high cost of living the stuff is more appreciated as a wedding present.

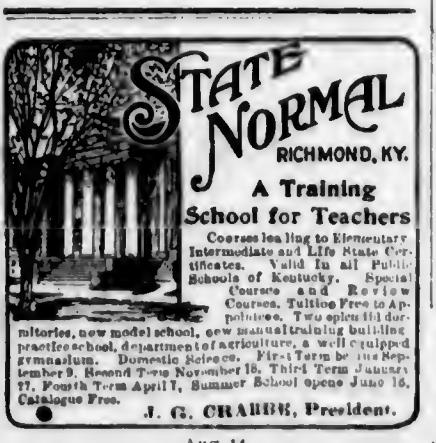
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We'll iron all the flat pieces, the bed and table linen, towels, etc., and give them a smooth, even finish that no hand ironer could equal.

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Our charges for this work are very reasonable; telephone us or ask the driver about it.

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Do not buy fruit trees from an agent unless you know him to be reliable. If you do you may feel like cuassin'. Some are reliable and others are not. Take no chance, you may lose your time and money, but buy direct from us and you will get

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Is there some great comfort in being a fool? If not, why do so many people act sensibly ninety-nine days and then kick it all over by being a fool for a few minutes?

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No amount of misrepresentation by the peddlers of alum baking powders, no juggling with chemicals, or pretended analysis, or cooked-up certificates, or falsehoods of any kind, can change the fact that

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LEXINGTON OPENS

Widespread interest centered in the opening of the 1913-14 tobacco season of the Lexington tobacco market Thursday, and the occasion was honored by the presence of the Lexington Commercial Club in a body, many of the leading physicians of the South attending the convention of the Southern Medical Association, officials of the Burley Tobacco Society and citizens generally, including business men, tobacco manufacturers, growers, buyers and speculators from all over the country.

The new Shelburne warehouse was the scene of the opening sale and approximately 72,000 pounds were sold, the top price being \$24 per hundred. Sales were made at all of the other houses, and altogether nearly 500,000 pounds were sold.

Cheap Potatoes

Have 1000 bushels of Michigan potatoes, will sell at \$1.00 per bushel. Extra good. Call at Jewell's Store on Bank street 19-tf. Charles Long.

COUNTY COURT DAYS.

Following is a list of days County Courts are held in counties near Mt. Sterling.

Bath, Owingsville, 2d Monday.
Bourbon Paris, 1st Monday.
Clark, Winchester, 4th Monday.
Fayette, Lexington, 2d Monday.
Fleming, Flemingsburg — 4th Monday.
Harrison, Cynthiana — 4th Monday.
Madison, Richmond, 1st Monday.
Montgomery, Mt. Sterling, 3rd Monday.
Nicholas, Carlisle, 2nd Monday.

Everything the market affords and everything nice, fresh and clean at Greenwade's.

Bronze Turkeys

Standard bred, none better—no business on the Sabbath. 21-6t Robt. Marshall

It is possible to have horse races without betting, but it is difficult to get anyone to attend them.

KENTUCKY HAS 58,000 MILES OF PUBLIC ROADS

The first report of the Department of Roads, now being prepared by Commissioner of Roads R. C. Terrill, who organized the department in July, 1912, gives the number of miles of road in Kentucky at 58,000, of which only 10,636.5 miles are improved, besides which there are 300 miles of toll roads remaining. The number of acres included in the highways is 220,000, valued at \$50,000,000, based on the estimated cost of reproduction. The counties raised by local taxation \$1,933,000 for road work in 1912, most of which was used in repair and maintenance of roads and bridges, only about 20 per cent. of the fund being spent on new roads. New roads and bridges in 1912 cost \$200,000 and \$220,000, respectively. The counties had employed on the roads during that period 185,000 free laborers.

In connection with the new order this act creating the State Department of Roads, Commissioner Terrill examined 252 applicants for county roads engineers, of whom 173 passed the examinations.

Commissioner Terrill, in his report, shows among the activities of the Department that seven bridge surveys were made, fifty-six bridges inspected, plans, estimates and specifications prepared and furnished for sixty-one miles of roadway and 374 miles were inspected, besides inspections of gravel, asphalt, conferences with county officials and other work of co-operation in local road work.

Commissioner Terrill probably will recommend that, as a matter of economy, Fiscal Courts provide the county road engineer with a cheap automobile, so that he can get around to inspect the roads in all sections and supervise the work in progress.

J. & M. Shoes at Walsh's.

ROAD BUILDING

OIL APPLIED TO DIRT ROADS

Much Used in Illinois as Preventive of Mud as Well as Dust—Several Good Methods.

(By T. M. CISEL)

Many roads in the oil fields of Illinois have been treated with oil which is a preventive of mud as well as dust. Roads that were put in shape and well sprinkled with oil last fall stood the winter travel which is always heavy in the oil fields, and came out in the spring with very little needed repairs.

In applying oil to our common dirt roads several methods are employed. Sometimes where the road is in good shape the oil is sprinkled on without any further preparations. This is sufficient for summer roads and for holding down the dust, but a better method should be employed where good winter roads are expected.

First the road should be well worked with the road machine, then apply the oil with sprinkler, putting on enough to well dampen the fresh worked dirt, then a disk or harrow should be used to mix the oil well with the clay; after sprinkling again, the roller is used to smooth down and pack the roads.

After this the road should be sprinkled once a month in winter to keep it from taking water.

All ruts must be filled with dirt as soon as they commence to form. Also wet down this filling with oil.

After two years of this treatment roads become solid and show but little waste from travel and rain. Well oiled roads are dustless.

Sand roads are treated the same way but require more oil to put them in shape. A common water tank with street sprinkling attachment is all that is required for applying it to the roads.

PREPARE STEEP ROAD CUTS

Difficulty Usually Experienced In Mountainous or Hilly Country Is in Repairing Washouts.

In a mountainous or hilly country where the roads must be built with considerable grade, one difficulty which is usually experienced in their maintenance is in repairing washouts.

When a heavy shower falls upon the road and adjoining country, water will find its way to the depressions worn by the wheels. It flows down these depressions, gaining volume and velocity as it goes until the road surface is eroded and deep ruts often formed. The road which was good in the beginning is now rough and rutty and unpleasant and even dangerous to travel over.

One of the very best methods for preventing this cutting writes E. B. House of the Colorado Agricultural College is to huild across the road at intervals of two or three hundred feet, ditches running entirely across the road. These ditches should be about one foot deep and perhaps three feet wide. They should be so located that they will discharge their water at some distance from the road and in such places that the water will continue on down the hill from the road.

In order that the road may be smooth, plank bridges are placed across these ditches. These are very simple affairs, 4x4 answering the purpose for the stringers and 2x6s or 2x4s doing very well for the flooring. These planks should be placed so that cracks one and one-half to two inches wide are left between each plank. These cracks then running across the road allow the water coming down the road to go through them, into the ditch and pass away. In this way the volume of water flowing over the road surface is kept down and cutting prevented.

MAINTENANCE IS ESSENTIAL

Road Repairing as Important as Building. According to Official of Agricultural Department.

Logan W. Page, chief of the office of public roads, of the department of agriculture, is bending every energy to impress upon the people of the country that maintenance and effective repair are of equal importance with the actual improvement of bad roads. Investment of money in new roads does not become real economy until provision is made for keeping those new roads in condition after they are built. If a new road was built and then allowed to fall into disrepair, much of the original investment is simply wasted.

Quite frequently the office of public roads, when called upon for assistance by the various states, points out that road building is an art based on a science, and that trained men and experienced men are necessary to secure the best results from the expenditure of road funds.

Statisticians have figured out that although the average expenditure on the improvement of roads exceeds \$1,000,000 a day, a large portion of it is wasted because of the failure to build the right type of road to meet local requirements or the failure to provide for the continued maintenance of the improvement.

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